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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 S. St Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-101

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

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| Operator Name and Address Ocean Energy Inc. 1001 Fannin Suite 1600 Houston, TX 77002 | | OGRID Number 169355 |
| | | API Number 30-25-36057 |
| Property Code 30844 | Property Name BRICKYARD 23 | Well No. 001 |

Surface Location

| UL or Lot | Section | Township | Range | Lot Idn | Feet From | N/S Line | Feet From | E/W Line | County |
|-----------|---------|----------|-------|---------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|--------|
| N | 23 | 14S | 37E | | 660 | S | 1980 | W | Lea |

Proposed Pools

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| WILDCAT S143723N;MISS (GAS) |
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|-----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Work Type New Well | Well Type Gas | Cable/Rotary | Lease Type Private | Ground Level Elevation 3820 |
| Multiple N | Proposed Depth 12700 | Formation Mississippi Limestone | Contractor | Spud Date 12/20/2002 |

Proposed Casing and Cement Program

| Type | Hole Size | Casing Size | Casing Weight/ft | Setting Depth | Sacks of Cement | Estimated TOC |
|------|-----------|-------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Surf | 17.5 | 13.375 | 48 | 400 | 440 | 0 |
| Int1 | 11 | 8.625 | 32 | 4700 | 1250 | 0 |
| Prod | 7.875 | 5.5 | 17 | 12500 | 954 | 6000 |

Casing/Cement Program: Additional Comments

surf csg: 440 sx Cl C cmt + 2% bwoc Cal Chl + FW, slurry wt 14.8 pg, 1.34 cf/sx. int. csg: 1050 sx Poz & Cl C + additives, slurry wt. 12.50 ppg/2.03 cf/sx, 200 sx cl c, slurry wt 14.8 ppg/1.33 cf/sx
prod. csg: lead slurry = 402 sx poz & cl c 12.5ppg/1.94 yeild tail slurry = 552 sx Poz and Cl H, 13.5 ppg/1.47 cf/sx

Proposed Blowout Prevention Program

| Type | Working Pressure | Test Pressure | Manufacturer |
|---------|------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Annular | 5000 | 5000 | Hydril |
| Blind | 10000 | 5000 | Cameron |
| Pipe | 10000 | 5000 | Cameron |

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| I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. | |
| Electronically Signed By: Jeanie McMillan | |
| Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist | |
| Date: 11/22/2002 | Phone: 713-265-6834 |

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| OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION | |
| Electronically Approved By: Paul Kautz | |
| Title: Geologist | |
| Approval Date: 11/22/2002 | Expiration Date: 11/22/2003 |
| Conditions of Approval: There are conditions. See Attached. | |

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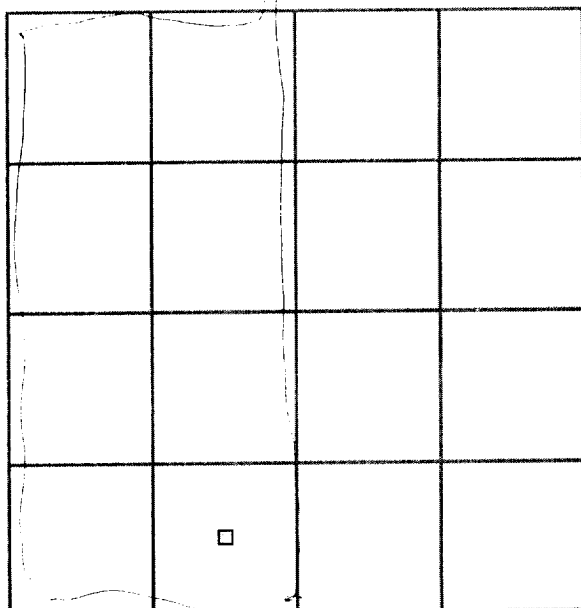
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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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|---------------------------|--|-------------------|
| API Number 30-25-36057 | Pool Name WILDCAT S143723N;MISS (GAS) | Pool Code |
| Property Code 30844 | Property Name BRICKYARD 23 | Well No. 001 |
| OGRID No. 169355 | Operator Name Ocean Energy Inc. | Elevation 3820 |

Surface And Bottom Hole Location

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|------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| UL or Lot N | Section 23 | Township 14S | Range 37E | Lot Idn | Feet From 660 | N/S Line S | Feet From 1980 | E/W Line W | County Lea |
| Dedicated Acres 320 | | Joint or Infill | | Consolidation Code | | Order No. | | | |



OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed By: Jeanie McMillan

Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist

Date: 11/22/2002

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

Electronically Signed By: Gary Jones

Date of Survey: 11/5/2002

Certificate Number: 7977

APD Comments

Operator: 169355 Ocean Energy Inc.

Well: BRICKYARD 23 001

| User Name | Comment | Comment Date |
|-----------|--|--------------|
| JMCMILLAN | Plans are to test the Wolfcamp, Atoka and Austin sand. This could possibly be a dual completion. | 11/21/2002 |
| JMCMILLAN | Additional BOP Info. 13 5/8 mud cross - 10M psi; 13 5/8" 10M x 13 5/8" 10M spacer spool | 11/22/2002 |
| DMULL | Wrong pool for Mississipian. Will need Paul Kautz - District 1 geo. to confirm what is the correct pool. | 11/22/2002 |

APD Conditions Of Approval

Operator: 169355 Ocean Energy Inc.

Well: BRICKYARD 23 001

| OCD Reviewer | Condition |
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| PKAUTZ | Do not report any production under poolid 70840. This is a wildcat and is more 7 miles from that pool. A new poolid will be assigned upon filing a C-104 request for allowable when well is completed. |